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Glen Ellen COLUMN.

Society Notices.

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Glen Ellen Grange, No. 487, meets on the last Saturday evening in each month at Native Sons' hall.

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YOUNG... MR. OGLEVIE'S EXPERIENCE

Mr. Oglevie came to Chicago without luggage because the telegram that summoned him gave him no time to plan or prepare. Having transacted all his business the same day, he was determined to leave for his home that night. He had time to kill in the afternoon, he strolled about the hotels and so fell in with Tom Scott, a college chum whose home was in New York, but who happened to be also visiting Chicago.

Not having met for nearly a year, each fell upon the other's neck. Then they went into a cafe and told many stories that are considered good by college men. By 6 p. m. they had reached the intellectual stage of good fellowship and were discussing art and literature for the first time since that final commencement day. Having soared for about an hour in the unaccustomed rarities of an aesthetic atmosphere, they decided that the only fitting way to spend the evening was to see "Hamlet." They became enthusiastic over the intellectual festival and by 10 o'clock they had reached the ecstasy of criticism. Oglevie hinted that if he had not been obliged by circumstances to engage in trade he might have played Shakespearean roles with credit to himself. Tom went a step further and after alluding vaguely to "certain dramatic gancheries" in the scenario and "business," intimated guardedly that if his father had not almost driven him into commercial pursuits he might have written a play that would have made the bard of Avon "look like a Minneapolis cryptogram."

When the play was over, they decided to go and ballast their artistic enthusiasm with some lobster a la Newburg. About 11 o'clock in the morning Oglevie became confidential and told Scott that as soon as he could wind up his affairs in connection with the soap factory he would go to New York and begin his career as an actor. He admitted that he always knew that the stage was his forte, and, as a matter of fact, he had stuck thus far to the soap business "just to please father." Scott responded with the opinion that he had already heard enough of the life of Jay Gould, that "black Friday" was the climax of the piece and that as soon as he could give it the finishing touches he meant to produce it simultaneously in London and New York. They both admitted that commerce as a career in life was beneath their talents and that they had already married themselves sufficiently.

As Oglevie was not registered at any hotel, Scott invited him to share his room, and they retired with mutual protestations of fealty to the arts and contempt for trade. Scott, who said he had "some beastly business to look after," told the bellboy to have him called at 8 o'clock in the morning and to send a laundryman after his linen.

"You can sleep as long as you like," he said to Oglevie. "Just make yourself at home. I'll have to get out early, but I'll be back at noon, and we'll talk over our plans again."

It was about 7:30 o'clock the next morning when Oglevie heard a prodigious rapping at the door and became vaguely conscious that a messenger boy had brought a telegram for Scott. But he was too sleepy to attend, and while he resumed snoring Scott crawled out of bed and read the following telegram:

Your trip a disastrous failure. Expenses outrageous and sales nothing. Get on the first train home.

Mr. Scott arrayed himself in fresh linen, muttering to himself and taking frequent drafts of cold water. He didn't have nerve enough to awaken Oglevie, so he packed his trunk and bag and sneaked out to attend to business. When he was gone, the laundryman arrived, rapped at the door and half waked the sleeping Oglevie.

"Come for Mr. Scott's washin'," said the man at the door.

"All right, help yourself!" growled Oglevie, not yet awake.

The industrious laundryman walked in, picked up all the washable clothes he could find and departed. After another short nap the porter came up for Scott's baggage, and the sleeper bade him also to "help himself."

About dusk that day Mr. Oglevie woke up. The room was cold and dim.

"Tom!" he shouted toward the empty bed, but there was no answer. He began to feel around for his socks, his undergarments, his shirt, collar, cuffs. Then he turned on the lights. The room was bare.

Oglevie was obliged to dress in pyjamas kindly loaned by Mr. Scott and to wear his shoes a la Jerry Simpson. His outer garments felt clumsy and hard and his heart failed when he realized that he had neither collars nor cuffs. Then he found that he had no money—nothing but his ticket back home and his watch—cost \$125 and are not worth it. He hadn't the nerve to go to breakfast or dinner or whatever it was that way, so he sallied forth to buy some new linen or vest from the laundry that which had been taken instead of Scott's. He found a furnishing store and picked out what he wanted, but the polite salesman refused to trust him, and he was obliged to trudge back through the snow to his hotel. The cold wind whizzed around his uncollared neck, whistled among his vertebrae and flapped the legs of his trousers till he forgot that he was hungry in his haste to get back to his room.

At the hotel the clerk hailed him as he hurried through the corridor and asked if he had any baggage. He admitted that he had none and was informed that if he proposed to retain his room—Scott's room—he must pay in advance. He wanted to explain his plight, but the officious waiter man wouldn't listen.

Mr. Oglevie called on the manager and spent an hour reciting the causes and extent of his predicament. The manager was inclined to give him one day of grace.

"I don't understand why my friend, Mr. Scott, got out in such a hurry, do you?" said Oglevie to the manager.

"Certainly—an old college chum."

"Oh, that accounts for it!" laughed the manager. But he wouldn't explain what he meant.

Oglevie telegraphed for money, and when it came paid his bill and left by train.

He put his feet up on the velvet upholstery and murmured to himself, "I wonder if people with artistic temperaments always have to get money from home!"—Chicago Record.

Washington Letter

The hearing before the board of General Appraisers in New York on the Russian sugar bounty cases will soon begin, the immediate point at issue being whether or no the countervailing duty is to be assessed on 3,098 bags of sugar, valued at \$15,398, imported by Gustave A. Jahn & Company. The sugar was refined in Russia and shipped by way of Hamburg. The question to be passed upon by the board of classification is as to whether the payment made by the Russian Government when the sugar was exported was in reality a bounty, or merely a rebate of taxes allowed on goods exported. As bearing on the point, the following extract from the London Economist, a high authority on such subjects, may be of interest: "The sugar producers of Russia, enjoy the greatest possible measure of protection. Since 1895 the Russian Government has regulated the sugar business. Every year it fixes the home prices of sugar and the quantities that are to be left for home consumption. There is no direct premium on exporting sugar, but the population must pay higher prices for local consumption in order to cover the loss on exports at low prices, so that a premium is actually paid by the population, and there can be little doubt that the Americans are quite right in making their differential tariff on bounty-fed sugar apply to Russian sugar."

As was expected, the alleged "gigantic frauds" at Manila, turn out to have existed almost entirely in the imaginations of excitable correspondents. General McArthur telegraphing that they are not of sufficient importance to cause any concern, and adding that the appearance of them has been caused by irregularities in the sales of company savings. These last are the surplus saved by the soldiers from their regular rations which they are allowed to dispose of for their own benefit. Generally, the savings are made a company matter and are disposed of in bulk to the highest bidder. They may be returned to the commissary department and bought in by the government at cost price, but

there is no reason why they should not be sold elsewhere if the managers of the company fund should so desire. As army rations do not pay the usual duty imposed on similar goods used for private consumption, the soldiers could make quite a profit on their savings if they were of considerable amount. Some one evidently came across these articles bearing the Government stamp in private possession and jumped to the conclusion that they had been stolen.

The personnel of the Pan American commission, recently appointed by the President, is exceptionally fine and it may be expected to do excellent work. It has been eleven years since the first Pan American Congress was held in the United States, during Mr. Blaine's tenancy of the State Department, and it is believed that the excellent work then begun can be materially forwarded at Mexico next October. The trade of the United States with Central and South America is not as large as it should be, Europe having shown a greater disposition to cultivate trade relations with our Southern neighbors than the United States. It has established many steamship lines and has better means of reaching markets which should be controlled by Americans. European manufacturers have made use of every opportunity to introduce their wares in South America, and consequently have succeeded in developing a prosperous business in that section.

In view of the widely accepted theory that the prosperity of a country can be very correctly measured by the value of its postal receipts, a recent statement by the Postoffice Department is interesting as showing the degree of business activity that the country is now enjoying. If the stamp sales are to be taken as a criterion, the United States has enjoyed nearly three times as much prosperity during 1900 as in 1881, when the sales amounted to \$84,483,503, against a total last year of \$97,687,771. We were nearly twice as prosperous last year as in 1888, when \$50,636,321 worth of stamps were purchased.

As showing the depressing influence of a panic on the receipts of the postal service, the fact that the sales for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1864 were \$70,

289,910, or over five and a quarter millions less than the fiscal year preceding, is significant. The following year the receipts gained nearly four millions, but not until 1896 did they reach a high level, amounting that year to \$79,165,272. The receipts for the fiscal year of 1897 were \$79,631,561; 1898, \$83,289,253, and 1899, \$90,151,659. The gain for 1900 was over seven millions. Postoffice receipts have more than kept pace with the population. In 1880, when the population of the United States was a few thousand over 50,000,000, as compared with 76,000,000 now, the revenues were but a little over one-third the present amount.

Since Secretary Gage's recent interview, saying that he would buy no United States bonds unless they were offered at a more reasonable price, he has accepted offers amounting to two or three million dollars from people who were willing to come to his terms. He will buy some ten millions more if offered, but this may be regarded as the probable limit of purchases during the remainder of the fiscal year. He has authority, however, to purchase bonds in excess of the requirements of the sinking fund for any specific fiscal year, and several Secretaries have exercised this authority. It is possible, therefore, that he may determine to buy in excess of \$10,000,000 if bonds are offered on terms that would be advantageous to the Government.

In view of recent events in the Philippines, it is probable that that the United States army will not be recruited up to more than 75,000 men. Secretary Root and General Miles recently consulted on this subject, General Miles recommending that the strength of the army be equivalent to one soldier for every 1,000 citizens, or 76,000 men. General Miles also earnestly urged the Secretary to authorize the increase of the Artillery Corps to its authorized strength of 18,000 men, which of course, is included in the total strength of the army. The Secretary recently decided to raise only 20 per cent of the artillery increase authorized, his decision calling forth much criticism. If General Miles' recommendation is adopted the infantry and cavalry will aggregate 58,000 men, and there will be 8,000 natives raised in the Philippines.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 1901

The following communication from the president of the University of California contains much interesting information.

Summer Session of the University of California

There will be a truly remarkable array of scholars in the faculty of the approaching Summer Session of the University of California, from June 27 to August 7.

The Summer School, open without examination to all applicants of good character and intelligence, will number in its instructing staff thirty-five or more members of the regular faculty, including, among others, Professors Bacon, Hilgard, Wickson, Clap, Gayley, Merrill, Margolis, Longridge, Page, Jaffa, and Magee, and in addition John Dewey, Professor of Philosophy in the University of Chicago; H. Morse Stephens, Professor of Modern European and English History at Cornell University; Barrett Wendell, Professor of English in Harvard University; James H. Russell, Dean of Teachers' College of Columbia University; Liberty Hyde Bailey, Professor of Horticulture at Cornell; Ewald Flugel, Professor of English Philology at Stanford; Ellwood Cubberly, Associate Professor of Education in the same institution, and James M. Wilson, Irrigation Expert of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Courses will be offered in philosophy, education, history and political science, Semitic, Greek, Latin, English, Spanish, mathematics, physics, astronomy, chemistry, botany, mineralogy, physical culture, agriculture, horticulture, and irrigation. All the facilities of the library, laboratories and museums will be available.

Many of the courses are planned particularly to meet the needs of the teachers, to acquaint them with modern methods, and to freshen their inspiration. Particularly valuable are the opportunities for training in pedagogy, nature study, laboratory methods, and physical culture.

The short course in agriculture, a new departure for California, will enable practical farmers to learn the latest facts and methods of scientific agriculture, through hearing lectures by experts on topics such as irrigation practice, plant disease, breeds and breeding, milk and its products, food for men and animals, fruit-growing, and soils. The agricultural students may choose also courses in other departments.

In climate Berkeley is the chosen land of the summer session. The nearness of the Pacific tempers the days and makes excessive heat practically unknown.

A five-minute walk from the University buildings leads one into a delightful wilderness of rugged hills and shady canyons and winding country roads. The region round about is a tempting field for long tramps and bicycle rides. And with all its out-of-door charm, the University lies in a pleasant town of 15,000 people, with ample and comfortable accommodations for students, with electric cars, and with all present-day comforts. San Francisco, with its shops and libraries, theatres, parks, deep-sea shipping, strange sights, and historic flavor, is only fifty minutes distant, the fare ten cents.

A circular containing full information will be mailed free upon application to the Recorder of the Faculties, Berkeley California. The fee for the session is

\$10, and the student may choose one or many courses. Applications for admission should be filed, if possible, by June 17.

The University of California is now second among American universities in number of undergraduates, and sixth in total enrollment. It is growing in numbers more rapidly than any other American university. During the past ten years the enrollment increased 12.5 per cent; during the past eleven years, no less than fivefold. In last year's summer session 433 students were enrolled, more than in any other summer school in the United States save those of Harvard and Cornell.

BERKELEY, CAL. April 15, 1901.

FATHER YORKE'S LECTURE

All arrangements are now perfected for Father York's lecture to be given Tuesday evening April 30th at Union Hall for the benefit of St. Francis Church. Father York's reputation as a speaker is well-known to the public of Sonoma Valley and will no doubt draw a crowded house. The subject of his lecture—"The Elements of Patriotism"—is one which interests all loyal citizens and being one of his favorite topics, will be handled by the eloquent speaker in such a manner that an intellectual treat will be assured to those who have the good fortune to attend. In addition to the lecture an excellent musical programme will be rendered by some of our best local talent, and the evening's entertainment will conclude with a social hop at which refreshments will be served. Mr. Benjamin Weed the able and popular principal of our local High School has kindly consented to act as chairman of the entertainment.

General admission will be 50 cents. Reserved seats on sale at Mr. Duhring's store will be 75 cents. As a great rush is expected tickets should be secured in time.

Death of Geo. Spanning

Geo. Spanning, a young man well-known in Sonoma, died on the 12th inst. at his home in San Francisco leaving a young wife to mourn his demise.

The deceased was a resident of Sonoma for about ten years, leaving about three years ago to join the company of young adventurers who chartered a vessel and fitted out an expedition to one of the South Sea Islands. The story of how these young men were allured from their native country by Yellow Journal fairy tales, has been many times repeated. They never reached the promised land of gold and beautiful women. After many months of hardship nearly all returned to the States willing to work for a living and contented to have American women for wives.

BOUGHT THE HELLER PLACE

The Fine Property Purchased Last Week by two Well-known Mining Men

Messrs. C. F. and C. J. Anderson two of the wealthiest and best known mining men in the state, have closed a deal for the Heller property, lying just east of Sonoma, and expect to establish a country residence in the Sonoma Valley.

The new owners of this property are wide awake enterprising business men. They have unlimited wealth, and their disposition to invest some of their money in Sonoma and help develop the resources of the valley is appreciated by those who have the welfare of the community at heart. It is likely that they will make other investments here. Both gentlemen express their belief that this section of Sonoma County is capable of immense development, and with this confidence in the valley's future they considered this as the safest section for real estate investments. The purchase price of the Heller place is given at \$10,500. The property consists of 135 acres, 95 acres of which is in bearing vineyard. It is well improved and was cheap at the price paid.

Glen Ellen Items

A Christian Endeavor Society was organized here last Wednesday.

An all day meeting of the Grange was held last Friday. State Master Worthen was present.

A special train containing quite a number of medical students visited the Home at Eldridge last Tuesday.

Mr. Sheller of Santa Rosa opened the Thierkoff barber shop last Tuesday.

At a meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society, it was decided to begin the building of their hall at once.

The members of Bennett Valley, El Verano and Santa Rosa Granges will attend the Farmers' Institute at this place April 30th and May 1st.

W. E. Davis and family, of San Francisco, have leased the Clark cottage in Graham Canyon, where they will spend the summer.

Dr. Crepan has opened his drug store on O'Donnell ave. and is now ready for business.

Mrs. J. L. McCormick and Mrs. C. F. Kapp, of San Francisco, are spending a few days in Glen Ellen as guests of Mrs. Dr. C. C. O'Donnell.

THE CONTEST

As will be seen by a glance at the figures below, the prize contest continues with spirit. Many votes have been recorded during the past week, and many more are held in abeyance to be cast at the last moment.

The following conditions will govern the contest:

For one year's cash subscription to the EXPOSITOR 200 votes will be allowed.

To all subscribers now on our books the same number of votes will be allowed when the delinquent subscriptions are paid.

Each of the coupons cut from this paper will count as one vote.

Announcements of the votes will be made each week. The votes will be impartially and publicly counted at the EXPOSITOR office and the total will be kept for a recount at the close of the contest.

As an additional guarantee of absolute fairness we announced a few weeks ago that all votes must bear the signature of the voter. Votes not thus signed will not be counted.

The vote now stands as follows:

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| Miss Florence Quartaroli | 5113 |
| Miss Theo Bates | 4412 |
| Miss Mable Thomas | 4012 |
| Miss Gertrude Lane | 4012 |
| Miss Mary Chance | 3314 |
| Miss Pearl Allen | 6117 |
| Mrs. G. H. Harris | 6019 |
| Mrs. Pauli | 5615 |
| Miss Lulu Johnson | 4118 |
| Miss Grace Carmel | 3019 |
| Miss Malvina Martens | 8118 |
| Miss Bessie Organ | 24157 |
| Total | 22,467 |

Aaron Astill Injured

Aaron Astill the former lessee of the Sonoma electric light plant, was injured yesterday while at work in the engine room of the transport Warren. His leg was broken and he was otherwise injured by a rolling cylinder caused by the vessel lurching.

Constable Ohm Arrested

Constable Ohm was arrested by deputy sheriff Joe Ryan this week at the instigation of L. Green who swore to a complaint charging the constable with malicious mischief. T. eaffair is the result of some misunderstanding regarding the location of a fence. Mr. Ohm claiming that the fence was an obstruction to a public highway, while Mr. Green maintains that the fence is on his own land. Onn tore the fence down, hence the arrest. The matter was to have come up in Judge Small's court on Thursday, but was postponed for two weeks.

The Union Ball

The opening ball given by the proprietors of the Union Hotel last Saturday evening was a most enjoyable affair. The ballroom was crowded with young people, who enjoyed the dancing until a late hour when an elaborate supper was served.

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Death of C. L. Ennis

C. L. Ennis deputy superintendent of the Los Angeles city schools died suddenly on the 13th inst. from paralysis of the heart, brought on by a recent severe attack of the grippe.

Prof. Ennis was for many years a Sonoma resident. For eight or ten years he was principal of the local Grammar Schools, and served in like capacity in the schools of Healdsburg and Cloverdale. He left Sonoma about fifteen years ago, and has ever since been identified with the schools of Los Angeles. At the time of his death he was a member of the local L. O. O. F. lodge. He was also a Mason of high standing.

The deceased's mother Mrs. L. Chinn, lives at Millita. Mrs. Pauli, of this place, is his sister-in-law.

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May Basket Social

The Epworth League will give a May Basket Social at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Thompson in Sonoma on Friday evening, May 3rd. House, lawn and garden will be made to blossom like the rose. Each lady will arrange a May basket with luncheon for two. The young men will come with a pocket full of money to secure the prettiest basket.

BUSY DAY IN COURT

On Monday the usual calendar day proceedings were had in the superior court. The resume of the day's business follows:

The final accounts of the estates of Henry C. Turner and Jas. McNamara were settled and distribution of the property was ordered.

Clara Ann Hutchins was appointed executrix of the will of the late Mrs. Rebecca Shepherd, without bonds.

William Apploton and Henry Hubbard were named executors of the will of the late Warren Green of Preston. No bonds were required.

An order to sell personal property was made in the estate of Geo. Wood.

Probate matters continued; Estate of James Frazier, John Itin, Louis Tomasini and Hugh Porter to April 21; estate of Samuel T. Svarvas to April 22.

Plaintiff having failed to amend the complaint in the time allowed by the court, judgment was entered for the defendant for costs in the action of E. P. Colgan, as state controller, against the County of Sonoma.

The motion for a new trial was submitted on briefs 6, 6 and 3 days in the action of Charles Brown vs. Louis Volmer.

The motion to tax costs in the action of Frederick Quien vs. Giovanni Bocca was denied.

The action of J. H. Brush vs. J. H. Smith, as sheriff, was continued to April 22.

The will of Johann Schieck was admitted to probate and David Schieck was appointed executor, without bonds.

The final account of the estate of William Ayers was settled. The distribution of the property was continued to April 22.

In Judge Burnett's department the motion for a new trial in the action of E. E. Morrow against the Santa Rosa Lighting Company was taken under advisement.

The trial of the action of A. B. Hill against Fred Englehart was set for April 26.

The divorce action of Seely vs. Seely was submitted to the court. In the action for divorce of H. E. Nosler vs. Martha Nosler, default was entered and the matter was referred to the court commissioner.

The action for damages brought by Thomas F. Duncan against M. Lafranchi was set for May 21.

SONOMA VALLEY BOARD OF TRADE

The next session of the Sonoma Valley Board of Trade will be held in Weyl's Hall next Wednesday evening, April 24th. Considerable business is to come before the Board at this meeting, and it is expected that members from every section of the valley will be present.

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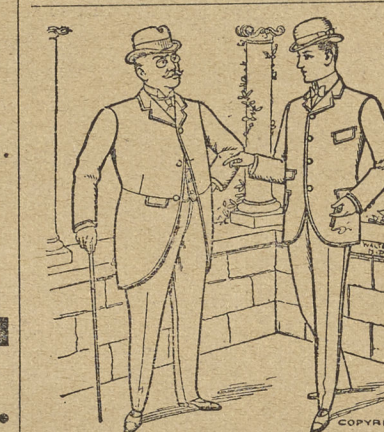
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Chase Estate Appraised

The executor of the Chase Estate, the appraisers, attorneys etc. were in Sonoma on Saturday placing a valuation on this portion of the estate.

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by local application as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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LODGE NOTICES

F & A M

TEMPLE LODGE No. 14 meets in the Masonic Hall on the Tuesday evening on or preceding the full moon of each month.

I O O F

SONOMA LODGE No. 38 meets at Odd Fellows' Hall every Saturday evening at 7:30 p. m. BUREAU OF LODGE No. 46 meets in Odd Fellows' hall on the second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month.

O E S

VALLEY OF THE MOON CHAPTER, No. 85, meets in the Masonic hall on the Thursday evening on or preceding the full moon of each month.

Y M I

No 45 meets the first Wednesday evenings in each month in Odd Fellows' hall.

A O U W

PUEBLO LODGE No. 168 meets every 1st and 4th Tuesday evenings of each month at Odd Fellows' hall.

O O F

SONOMA VINEYARD COUNCIL, No. 162 meets the first and third Friday of each month in Odd Fellows' hall.

N S G W

SONOMA PARLOR No. 111 meets on the first Monday Evening of each month at Odd Fellows' hall.

U A O D

SONOMA GROVE No. 75 meets on the first and third Friday in each month at Odd Fellows' hall.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Episcopal Services

Episcopal services will be held in the San Luis school house the first Sunday of each month at 11 o'clock a. m. W. L. Clark, Rector.

Catholic Church.

Rev. J. Leahy Rector. Mass: Sundays, 8 a. m. and 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:45. Mass: week days 7:30 a. m.

Town Talk

C. J. Anderson is a guest at the home of Victor Jansen.

Cavanagh's forlumber. Washington street, East Petaluma.

When in Napa buy a bottle of Mertol Dandruff cure of Duprey Pharmaceutical Co. 20 Main St. Napa.

Ladies attention! Spring opening of stylish millinery at Mrs. F. English Warren's. 852 Main St. Petaluma.

Go to Cavanagh's, 1001 Washington street, East Petaluma, for lumber, house furnishings, etc.

Fred L. Clark, his wife and children, are up from Azusa, Los Angeles Co. spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Clark.

Miss Ruth Poppe is spending the week with relatives in San Francisco.

Clarence Cheney wheeled over from Petaluma Sunday.

Miss Florence Lavine of San Francisco spent Sunday with Sonoma relatives.

Capt. Griffin of Nevada visited his friend Nick Ahern during the early days of the week.

Mr. Pacheco, of Ignacio, spent Sunday with his friend, Thos. Jones.

Miss Lena Johnson of San Francisco spent Sunday visiting her mother, Mrs. M. A. Johnson.

Henry Bates drove to Santa Rosa Sunday.

The Misses Anna and Ella Doyle of Oakland visited their aunt, Mrs. J. E. Poppe Sunday.

The wife and mother of Geo. Gies, came up from the City on Saturday and are spending the week with him.

Otto Muser will make an extended journey through Europe and has engaged passage on a steamer leaving early in May.

Mrs. Spencer is up from the City, visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. H. Harris.

Miss Grace Trudgen came up from San Francisco on Saturday evening and spent Sunday with her parents.

L. Litzius of San Francisco is spending a few days in town visiting Mr. Schweickhardt.

Mr. Destrulli of San Francisco spent several days of the week visiting Sonoma friends.

Bert H. Jones of Oakland spent Saturday and Sunday in Sonoma.

Will Sherman was a Sunday visitor in Sonoma.

Leland S. Ramsdell, formerly well-known in Sonoma, is now engaged in the gents' furnishing business in Salem, Mass.

Mr. Kimmitt of San Francisco spent several days this week visiting Mr. O. Muser.

Father Valentini of Sausalito will officiate at the Catholic Church services on Sunday.

FOR SALE—Incubators, brood ers, wire fencing, buildings etc. apply to George Miller, Glen Ellen.

Don't forget the social hop to be given by Miss Lola Haraszthy Saturday evening April 20th at Union Hall. Splendid music, and lots of two steps and waltzes.

Mrs. Gise, of Benicia, sister of Joe Ryan, is spending the week with Sonoma friends. She is staying at the home of Mrs. Henry Bates.

ICE CREAM PARLORS—Mrs. J. E. McMullen and Miss Theo Bates will open ice cream and general confectionary parlors in the Adler building sometime in the near future.

AUCTION SALE

Saturday May 4th, 1901 at 1 o'clock p. m. A big sale of general household goods and sundries. It will pay you to attend this sale. At Thompson's, Broadway, Sonoma.

M. E. Church Sunday April 21st.

Regular services morning and evening. A cordial invitation to all.

C. L. PETERSON, pastor.

"GUINDALA"

By REV. E. E. THOMPSON.

These lines are selected at random from the story. They give the reader a true picture of the FLORA of one part of Palestine, and describe a place of interest on the sea of Galilee. The movement of characters—of course—will be unintelligible, to those not familiar with connecting events.

The sea of Galilee looks its best from Capernaum. The shoreline is less broken while the descent leading down to the water's edge is gentle and enticing. This little city which became the adopted home of our Lord after his rejection at Nazareth, was about two and a half miles west of the upper Jordan—or of the place where it pours its waters into the lake. Along its banks and in every spot between the river and village where the soil is rich enough to produce, a large variety of semi-tropic trees, shrubs and plants attest the mildness of climate and afford pleasure to all lovers of nature, whether resident or travellers.

Among the trees are the ever present and useful olive and fig; the jubbe thorn—Zizyphus Spina Christi—the Dom tree, usually covered with the parasitic Loranthus indicus. Two varieties—the true and false—apples of Sodom, the mustard tree, Osher, Oleander, rose of Jerico, Colocynth, Camphire, (Lausonia Alba) are some of the larger shrubs; while—where undisturbed by the plow of the husbandman—the fields and way side are made beautiful nearly the whole year through by the myriads of white, pink, purple-hued, yellow and red crested bloom of the smaller shrubs and bulbous plants. Added to these delightful features about Capernaum, we should mention if space would permit, the sweet songsters and birds of rich and delicate plumage, the Jordan warblers, the Arbus,—or white throats—Bulbuls, silver throated Nightingales, Sun birds and Turtle Doves, which may still be seen moving about upon the boughs of trees, or heard discoursing sweet music among the shrubs and brambles.

It was amid this Oriental splendor, and just as the sun sank from view that Nella, swung to and fro by the awkward gait of her faithful dromedary, hove in sight. Ashki and Tyrus, followed closely. Camp was soon struck near an inviting and convenient juniper tree. Tyrus was not only a good cook, but rapid as well.

In a few moments he announced the meal and all sat down to eat and to recount the happenings of the day. Ashki was nearly convulsed with laughter as Quintal related the experience at Magdala, and described as best he could the struggle between the blacks for possession of the boat and its result. Guindala on the other hand, was much alarmed when Nella told them how their branch of the party had been held up at the ford—less than five miles from where they were camped—by a bold and daring robber named Barabbas who attempted to extort money from them for the privilege of crossing. Ashki's spear was finally brought into requisition and the bandit took to cover. Barabbas was a Jew, and hated the Romans especially, for their oppressions of his race. In a quarrel with a soldier near Bethsaida over the latter's interference with Jewish customs, he killed him and as a result became a fugitive before the law. Herod, the tetrarch of Galilee had been trying to capture him for more than a year, but so far had failed in every attempt. Barabbas never interfered with Jews. He acted—when such service were required,—as their guide and assistant over difficult or dangerous mountain passes. Tourists of other nationalities—Romans particularly were shown no mercy. We see then, one reason for the Jews asking for his release instead of Jesus, on the day of the crucifixion. Barabbas had also led them in a petty insurrection against Caesar, refusing to be taxed and against the payment of tribute money. The village of Bethsaida—the reader will please note that there were two villages by this name, one

"Bethsaida beyond Jordan"—was near. Corazin also, only two and a half miles north of Capernaum. It was these three little cities, linked together almost as one, that Jesus upraised. (Matt. 11: 20-24) because they repented not. In them lived some of the chief Apostles; Phillip and Nathaniel at Bethsaida, Andrew and Peter at Capernaum and James and John—sons of Zebedee—in Corazin. Above and beyond all, the Master himself lived in the center of the group. The people heard his words and saw his works, for here most of his mighty miracles were performed. Truly Capernaum was "exalted to heaven," in point of privilege. They were no doubt proud of Jesus as one of their citizens at the time so many were seeking his services both for instruction and healing, but when they saw and repented not, neither were willing to obey the Gospel, Jesus said it should be more tolerable for Tyre and Sidon and the land of Sodom in the day of judgment. Men are judged by the light and privileges they have and not for those which they do not enjoy.

It would seem a providence that brought Guindala and her son to Capernaum at this time, for they were destined to come in contact with Jesus at a very important period of his ministry. He had just returned from Nazareth where his own people had rejected him and he ever afterwards fixed his residence in Capernaum.

Just outside the village proper, on the road to Corazin was a grand stone castle, built on the plan of the Bastille with walls and towers. It was the home of Theophilus a rich and influential nobleman of Roman birth, whose real name was "Xenaphanus," Theophilus, the name given him by the Jews and which he finally adopted, means "Loved of God." He was kind, philanthropic and greatly beloved by Jews as well as Greeks and Romans. To express his good-will, devotion and faith in the religion of Moses, he had built in Capernaum one of the most substantial and beautiful synagogues in all Palestine and dedicated it to the common cause. The ruins of this ancient structure—now called "Tell Ham,"—still remain and have been viewed by thousands from our own America during the present decade, all of whom speak in praise of their extent and grandeur. These are therefore the most interesting and sacred ruins upon the whole earth, for they heard and re-echoed the voice of the Son of God.

As the thoughtful and devout look upon the sculptured columns bearing the clusters of grapes and the pot of Manna, they seem with photographic accuracy, to re-produce the very sound and intonations of the Saviour's voice,—"Your fathers did eat manna in the wilderness and are dead. I, am the bread of life. (John 6: 48) "This is the living bread which came down from heaven; not as your fathers ate manna and are dead; he that eateth of this bread shall live forever!" (John 6: 58)

A few days prior to the arrival of Guindala, Theophilus' only son Gelonthus, a bright and promising lad of sixteen lay at the point of death with a fever. Jesus was at Cana and the nobleman made the journey in person instead of sending his servants and besought him to come down and heal his child. But Jesus said unto him;

"Go thy way; thy son liveth." (John 4: 50)

This wonderful miracle and the emphatic statement of Theophilus that it was Jesus who had restored his child, created intense excitement throughout Galilee, at Jerusalem and even beyond Jordan. When therefore Jesus came down to Capernaum the people thronged him from every city with importunity for their impotent friends and relatives.

Nathaniel and Phillip after having spent the day with Jesus were on their way to their own home in Bethsaida for the night. The conversation they held was earnest but in a subdued tone of voice as they passed the place where the Gadarenes were camped. Quintal left the others and ran to speak with them.

"Greeting to thee, oh men of Galilee. Ye are Jews—know ye the son of the living God?"

"Yea we be his disciples—if thou dost speak of Jesus of Nazareth."

"Praised be thy favor, oh Jupiter!" said Quintal from force of habit, rather than realizing what he was saying.

The apostles looked up and breathed a silent prayer, then Phillip asked:

"What wilt thou with the living God, since thou wert 'een now calling upon idols that have no understanding? Seekest thou some blessing or favor? Thou must be cleansed from thy sins for thou canst not ask to obtain, with blasphemy upon thy lips!"

Quintal realized the mistake he had made, and in much fear answered:

"Yea, sayest thou truly. Thy servant wist not what he said! I do know a Jew who is my friend and he hath many times told me of thy living God. We greatly desire to see him, or his son; for my mother telleth me the father is out of seeing."

Lifting his hand Phillip pointed towards the majestic synagogue, (which was built of white limestone and was 80ft. long by about 60ft. wide, surrounded by porticos and colonnades of tall Corinthian pillars) and said: "Go thou at once to the synagogue. Behold he teacheth the people. Peace be with thy soul!"

So saying the two moved on while Quintal—

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El Verano Locals

Jack Key visited with Frank Weaver last Friday.

P. Goffanti transacted business in the City Monday.

W. M. Mullen visited his parents Sunday.

J. Dutil was a Sunday visitor.

Miss A. Larsen and Mrs. E. Schardin spent Sunday with Mrs. Tom Baines.

A. E. Warriner sold his ranch Thursday to a San Francisco party.

A. Pinelli is shipping wood to Vallejo from this point.

Frank Ferroggero is erecting a residence on his newly acquired property. He bought his lumber from A. Cavanaugh.

A BAD ACCIDENT

W. Mead of Santa Rosa Fell From a Loft and Broke Both Legs

Mr. Willard Mead, father of Miss Iva Mead who has had charge of Mrs. DuBois' millinery store in Sonoma, met with a severe accident on Tuesday which may cost him his life. He was at work in a barn loft when he lost his balance and fell to the floor, a distance of twenty feet, breaking both legs and receiving other injuries.

A telephone message this morning summoned Miss Mead to her father's bedside. He is now in a very precarious condition and his recovery is doubtful.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

An Interesting and Profitable Session Held in Santa Rosa This Week

The teachers of the county have just closed a week of interesting work at their Institute. Approximately three hundred teachers were in attendance. Some of the best known educators of the coast acted as instructors and lecturers.

Two interesting evening sessions were held. On Wednesday evening Dr. Jordan delivered a lecture and on Thursday evening Rev. Chas. R. Brown spoke about "The Greatest Man in the Nineteenth Century." The speaker thought Lincoln the greatest of nineteenth century men, and eulogized the great emancipator in eloquent terms. A number of the county teachers had places on the program. Prof. Benj. Weed's subject was "English." Today the teachers are returning to their homes; tired and glad to escape the work of the Institute, yet feeling that the work has been a pleasant and profitable one.

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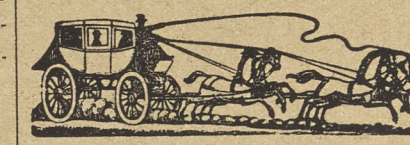
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